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ONE CENT

TWO KILLED IN MINE ACCIDENT AT WOODS RUN FRIDAY MORNING

Dilly Line Breaks and Loaded Cars Race Down Incline to Destruction

FIVE OTHER MINERS INJURED

A serious accident occurred at the Eclipse mine, Woods Run, Friday morning about 11 o'clock in which two men were killed and five injured, one probably fatally as a result of 20 loaded coal cars breaking away from the dilly at the top of a steep grade in the main entry and smashing into an empty car in which seven men were riding. The mine is owned by the Pittsburg Coal company.

The dead are Frank Briggs, a miner of Roscoe, who was killed instantly and John Kirk, a fire boss also of Roscoe, who died Friday evening at 5 o'clock as a result of internal injuries.

The injured are Charles Lang, fire boss of Stockdale, John Roberts, fire boss of Roscoe, Allison Roy, fire boss, Roscoe, George Rutherford, fire boss, Stockdale and N. Wick, Jr., a fire boss also of Roscoe.

Kirk was found unconscious among the wreckage and was removed to his home where he died a few hours later.

Two steep grades in the main entry of the mine near the mouth form a "V" the cars descending one grade before ascending the other. The train of loaded cars had started up the grade toward the mouth of the mine and had almost reached the top, when the seven men boarded an empty car on the opposite side of the "V" and started down the grade.

They had reached the bottom and were about to ascend the other side of the "V" when the rope attaching the dilly broke, allowing the loaded cars which had almost reached the top of the ascent to dash back again, meeting the single car at the bottom of the "V."

The cars crashed with terrific force, the empty car being demolished, and coal was hurled in all directions. The occupants of the car had no chance to escape, Briggs being killed instantly, while Kirk received fatal injuries. The other men were more fortunate, although Lang is in a serious condition. Scores of miners rushed to the scene, fearing that an explosion had taken place in the mine. Officials of the company are making an investigation.

FRANCIS WILLARD CLASS MEETS WITH MRS. SNYDER

The Francis Willard Class of the Methodist Episcopal church was entertained at the home of Mrs. Ward Snyder on Crest avenue Friday evening. The time was spent doing Red Cross work. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Snyder and her sister Miss Carrie Knock who assisted in entertaining.

If you want a new Leather Bag, Pocket Book, Photo Case, Card Case, Wallet, Envelope, Pocket Book see our Leather Goods Window with prices from 50c to \$10.00 to suit your pocket book and taste. Porter's Jewelry Store 592 Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi. 151-12.

BUY MACHINERY ON SUNKEN STEAMER

It is rumored that the Diamond Coal & Coke company has purchased the machinery from the wrecked steamer C. F. Pearsey, which sunk to the bottom of the Little Kanawha river several months ago. The machinery will be brought to Pittsburgh and placed on the new steamer Sam Barnum.

LOCAL HUNTERS BAG BIG BEAR

Shoot 300-Pound Animal Near Their Camp in Elk County

BEAR MEAT WILL BE PLENTIFUL

Bear stories and bear meat will be plentiful in Charleroi for the next week or so. Two Charleroi hunters, R. P. Ferguson and D. R. Hornell, who spent a few days at the Charleroi Mountain Club headquarters in Elk county were fortunate enough to bring down a bruin while out hunting Thursday afternoon. The animal is a big one weighing almost three hundred pounds and friends of these hunters may expect to be favored with bear meat when the carcass is carved by experts.

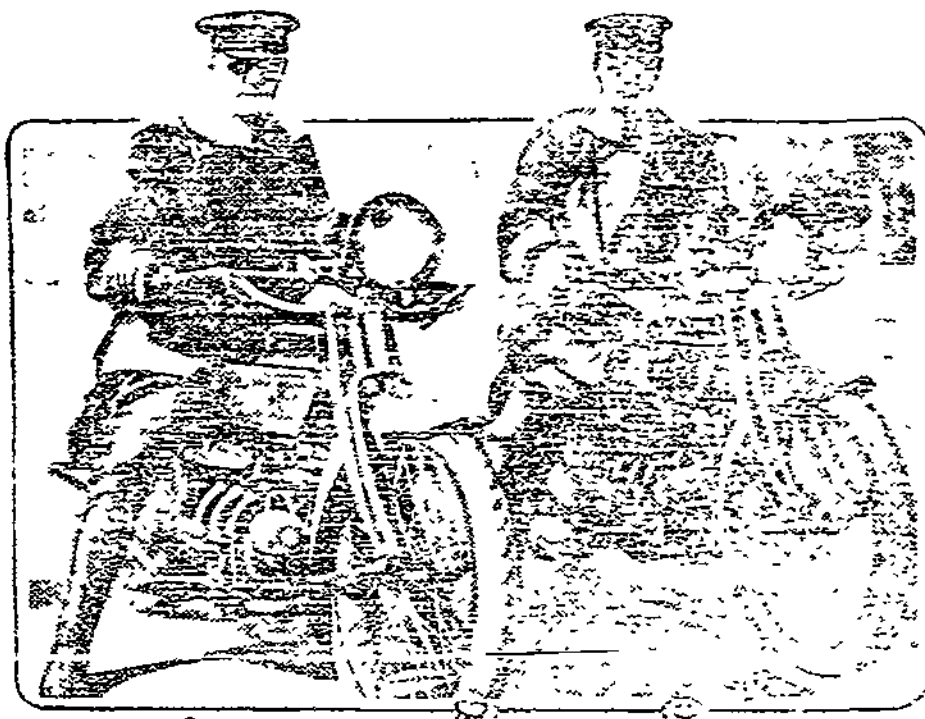
Hornell and Ferguson were out Thursday afternoon looking for big game and discovered the bear in a sort of an alcove between two big rocks and while the outline of the animal could not be made out, his eyes shone with great brilliancy, giving the hunters a good line on his location. Both men took a couple of shots at the bear which were effective, but they waited for some time before venturing to drag the carcass into the open. After being certain they had killed the animal they left for camp, about a mile distant, to secure the help of other members of the camping party to bring the carcass in. The bear was shipped to Charleroi by express and has been taken to the butcher shop of Otto Boehme, where it will be dressed and carved for the owners. Both of the hunters admit to a feeling similar to "buck fever" after they had shot the animal, fearing it had only been wounded and might make it interesting for them. They are being congratulated by friends on the success of their trip.

RED CROSS BENEFIT CONCERT NEXT WEEK

A concert which is to be a benefit for the Red Cross society will be given at the high school auditorium Tuesday evening November 20. An interesting program of musical and literary numbers by some of the best talent of Charleroi has been arranged. Tickets for the concert may be purchased at Piper's Drug store.

Harold Armbruster has gone to Butler to visit over Sunday.

Motorcycle Officers Guard President Wilson On Auto Rides About Capital



The men who guard the President of the United States who he travels are not necessarily conspicuous figures in Washington. They are nevertheless characters of national importance. Wilson goes to ride about the city he is guarded by secret service men and on either side of his automobile ride motorcycle officers. These men form the immediate bodyguard of the Chief Executive of the Nation. They are now here waiting for the President's automobile outside the White House grounds, R. L. May at the left and A. L. Peck at the right.

Tobacco Fund Increases Very Slowly of Late

MAIL'S TOBACCO FUND	
Previously reported	176.00
Myrtle McCracken	25
Mrs. Earl Hopewell	25
Total	\$176.50

During the past few days there seems to be a disposition to slow up on our contributions to the tobacco fund. Donations have been few, but still there have been enough to show that there are still some who are interested in the movement to send in their two bits to help along this splendid undertaking.

The men in France are being sent into the trenches in greater number from day to day now, in order that their training may be completed as early as possible. While the govern-

ment gives out but little information on this subject, yet we have reason to believe that more men are on the firing line than we anticipated. While on this first line duty the men appreciate a smoke above anything else. They have difficulty in securing their favorite smoke in France and even then it is high priced. By sending the smokes from back home you make certain the boys will get their favorite brands, a contribution that will be a delight to the boys who are "now on the job" along the western front. Let us continue to boost this fund even if we can only give the necessary two bits in order to provide but one smoke kit. It will make some soldier happy who is doing more than his bit on the battle plains of Flanders.

NO TRUTH IN SUCH STORIES

It is reported that German propagandists are at work in Westmoreland county. Numerous reports have been received of persons visiting the wives of farmers in certain sections of the county and telling them that the United States government intended to send agents to inspect their cellars to find out how much canned fruit and vegetables they have on hand.

They circulated the report that the government would take all over 25 to 50 cans, paying for them at the rate of five cents a can. Many people believed these stories and passed them on to their neighbors. The stories of course caused a great deal of discussion as well as resentment, but people should understand that the government is not adopting any such methods for any purpose. Government officials are doing all they can to counteract these stories, which are being circulated for ulterior purposes.

Mrs. J. G. Albright and daughter Bonita of McKean avenue spent Saturday in Pittsburgh.

CHARLEROI'S FUND FOR Y. M. C. A. WAR FUND REACHES OVER \$4,500

BOYS WILL WORK FOR Y. M. C. A. WAR FUND

Through the efforts of Mr. F. F. O'Connell a large number of the boys pupils of the Charleroi schools will work for the Y. M. C. A. fund, having agreed to earn and contribute at least \$10 each. The boys appear very enthusiastic over the project and will begin to earn their money at once in order to make their pledges good.

TO OPEN NEW LOCK AT NO. 4.

Inside Chamber to be Put in Commission Sunday Non

WILL FACILITATE LOCKINGS

Arrangements are being made to place the inside lock chamber at No. 4 in commission, the tentative date being fixed for Sunday at 12 o'clock. Everything is practically ready at the new lock chamber, both of the approaches having been dredged and the machinery for operating the gates being in shape for action.

The lock chamber has been completed for a number of weeks, but some additional work was necessary in the way of constructing guide walls, both above and below. Nothing has been done with these improvements and it is not likely any start in that direction will be made before next spring, but in the meantime, owing to urgings on the part of the steamboat owners, the government officials are preparing to put the lock chamber in commission. With the new lock in use it will be possible to give greater service to the steamboats with tow both ways, thus making any delays at No. 4 almost an impossibility. The crews at this lock have already made many records with a single lock, but with two in commission they will be able to facilitate the passing of steamboats to such an extent as to greatly increase the shipment of coal from the upper pools.

ATTENDING FUNERAL OF HIS AGED MOTHER

Phillip Snow, Mrs. J. A. Henderson and Mrs. J. D. Campbell left this morning for Saltsburg attended the funeral of Mr. Snow's mother, Mrs. Sarah Snow, who died on Tuesday last at her home in Free Soil, Michigan, aged 97 years.

Give her a diamond for Christmas plenty to pick from. Look in our window for prices. Porter's Jewelry store, 592 Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi. 151-12.

Hope It May Reach the Figures Set By the County Committee

DRIVE CLOSING MONDAY EVENING

The Gold Givers
Oh, some shall stand in glory's light when all the strife is done, and many a mother there shall say, "For truth I gave my son!" But I shall stand in silence then and hear the stories brave. For I must answer at the last when gold is all I gave.

When all this age shall pass away and silenced are the guns when sweethearts join their loves again and mothers kiss their sons When brave unto the brave return, and all they did is told. How pitiful my gift shall seem, when all I gave is gold.

When ye are asked what did you give when all the world was red and some shall say, "I fell in France," and some "I mourned my dead," With all the brave assembled there in glory long to live. How trivial our lives shall seem when had but gold to give.

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Chairman Booth announced this morning that cash and pledges for Charleroi's quota of \$10,000 to the Y. M. C. A. war fund had reached \$4,500. This leaves \$5,500 yet to be raised in order to reach the figure set by the County Committee. Friday afternoon's results were very encouraging, and if our people will only show a little more willingness to give and if those who are able will contribute of their means the goal can be reached. Some of us give only gold; others give nothing. The boys in the trenches offer their lives that we may enjoy all the blessings of liberty, comfortable homes, great educational institutions, our own form of government. Is it not as little as we can do to give of our store and contribute to this splendid cause which is now attracting the attention of the entire United States? Washington has reported \$14,000 to date; Monongahela over \$7,000; Canonsburg \$3,000. Let us do as well as our neighbors. We can if we will. This is one appeal that should meet with a ready response on the part of Charleroi.

A meeting of team Captains will be held Monday at a time and place to be announced in Monday's Mail. In the meantime all these teams are working with every energy to make the campaign a success.

Miss Bertha C. McEntee, Superior trustee of the Ladies Catholic Benevolent Association, will be the guest of branch 782, Sunday evening and will explain the new rates at a meeting to be held in the basement of St. Jerome's church at 7 o'clock.

Coyle Theatre Today Little Zoe Rae in "THE CRICKET" a two-reel comedy



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B. M. Bower
The Green Fancy
Geo. Barr McCutcheon
The Heart's Kingdom
Maria T. Davies
Beyond
John Galsworthy
Calvary Alley
Alice Hegan Rice

Barbarians
Robt. Chambers
Over the Top
Arthur Empey
The Secret Witness
Geo. Gibbs
By the World Forgot
Cyrus T. Brady
White Ladies of Worcester
Florence Barclay
Light in the Clearing
Irving Bachelor
Dwelling Place of Light
Winston Churchill
Son of the Middle Border
Hamlin Garland
Martie the Unconquered
Kathleen Norris
The Thoroughbred
Henry K. Webster

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DOING OUR PART.

People appear to think they are doing a splendid thing when they donate. They like to see their names in the list. They like to see their names in the list. They like to see their names in the list.

We don't know yet what it really means to sacrifice for country. Of course we have done magnificently in the matter of our two Liberty Loans a Red Cross campaign and we are going to do well by the Y. M. C. A. The soaring prices cause us to grumble a bit, and no wonder, for traitorous food speculators and profiteers are responsible for most of the trouble.

But we've just started to open our pocketbooks. We're going to find it easier to give than we expected to find it. That's the peculiar thing about giving. The more you give, the easier it is to give. The more you give, the easier it is to give.

KNOW-NOTHING PARTY RECALLED.

If we still had among us the members of the "Know-Nothing" or American party, which figured during the mid-nineteenth-century period, they would see greater justification for their political principles now than they did then, for they opposed the easy naturalization of foreigners and insisted on the election of native citizens to office. They would point to the fact that, although the Socialist party has lost ground because of the foreign sympathies in its dominating element, and although in New York City in 1913 it polled only 32,000 votes for mayor, in the same city in 1917 it polled 104,500 votes for its anti-war candidate for mayor, this increase of 225 per cent being no doubt but almost entirely due to naturalized Germans who are for the Kaiser rather than for their adopted country.

Undoubtedly the United States gained in a material sense through the failure of the "Know-Nothing" policy, but in consequence it no less certainly now suffers from the lack of a wholly American and entirely loyal population, especially in its border cities. We may feel reasonably confident, however, that the same old forces are at work, for there are many evidences of loyalty in the greater part of the foreign-born element. It has been announced, for example, that up to October 25 representatives of 54 different races in addition to native whites, negroes and Indians, had petitioned in Liberty bonds as follows: Japanese, Chinese, Jewish, Greek, French, German, Italian, Danish, Norwegian, Polish, Hungarian, Swedish, Finnish, Syrian, Armenian, Greek, Bulgarian, Arab, Serbian, Croat, Slovenian, Lithuanian, Slovak, Rumanian, Bohemian, Hawaiian, Russian, Welsh, Irish, Belgian, Spanish, Persian, Australian, Swiss and Slovenian.

WATCH THE FAKIR

The warning which was printed in the Mail on Friday with reference to nutmegging itinerant and wandering specialists as well as peddlers, should be well considered by our people.

At this time there may be more than the usual number of strangers in town attempting to sell goods of various kinds, and practically all of them will be found to be working without a borough permit. It is impossible for the police to keep an eye on all of them, due to the subtleties that are often worked in order to escape detection on the part of the local officers.

OUR PART IN THE CAMPAIGN.

It is a mistake to believe that the war is a thing that is done by the government. It is a thing that is done by the people. It is a thing that is done by the people.

The largest corporations of the country are responding in a most generous manner; millions of wage earners are giving as well as some of their means, but for some reason Charleroi to date has not made a very good showing.

There is a reason for people not being able to give, but in many instances no such reasons exist. In many industries wages have been notably increased, and more money than ever before is in circulation. If our people can do no better they should at least give their proportion. A dollar from every man and woman in town would put the cash across. Looks easy, and it is, if our people will only realize the real importance of the undertaking. It is for the boys in the ranks, a home and abroad. They are fighting our battles and we can show our appreciation by contributing our money. Shall it be said that we show our appreciation by the amount of our subscription? Some of it would be pitifully small, when in reality it should be of the most generous proportions. Let us go "over the top" in earnest for this fund.

BUTTER TRUST CALLED DOWN.

The Food Administration has requested the Elgin Butter Board to suspend operations during the war and has received assurances of compliance. According to the announcement of the government's Official Bulletin, "for many years the quotations established for creamery butter and butter fat by the Elgin Board were the basis on which creameries generally sold their butter and purchased their butter fat," and it is still the practice of this board "to meet every Saturday for the purpose of transacting a few sales which would establish a quotation for the following week, not based on any actual commercial conditions governing butter or butter fat." The Food Administration "thinks it advisable that butter prices be more dependent upon actual market conditions and demands."

One would naturally expect the Food Administration also to regard it as advisable to secure the removal of the tax on oleomargarine in its various forms, a tax for which the "butter trust" of which the Elgin board has been the recognized head, was through the wide influence responsible. This tax on imitation butter—a rare and highly nutritious food, according to all the experts—is not only unjust in itself but forces the people to pay a much higher price than needed for the pure butter. The oleomargarine industry for its part of another is not justified in making a lot of money during our war when it is the duty of every citizen to make the most of the money he has.

There is a campaign for the extermination of rats and mice inaugurated by the Department of Agriculture. When it is over, it will still be rats and mice, but they may be outnumbered by statistical papers on the subject of their ravages.

In their first attack on a Pershing trench the Germans outnumbered the Americans six to one. Before the Americans number six to one there will be no German trenches left to attack.

The Adams, Ga., Enterprise reports an estimable and happy townsman with "thirteen children and a Liberty bond for every blessed one of them."

La Follette will argue his case only in the larger cities. A wise precaution for in the smaller his type of citizen is sometimes chased clean out of town.

COUNCIL HOLDS SHORT SESSION

The meeting of council held last night was a short session. The council members were present and the session was held in the usual manner.

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TO FEED PENNSYLVANIA WITH PENNSYLVANIA CROPS

Public Safety Food Department Starts "Home-Growing For Home Consumption" Campaign to Make Counties Self-Supporting in 1918 — Curb Market System Will Provide For Local Distribution.

To feed Pennsylvania with Pennsylvania crops is the purpose of a campaign which has been undertaken by the Food Supply Department of the Pennsylvania Committee of Public Safety. Every agricultural district in the State has been asked to produce in 1918, on new farms, various dairy and meat products, poultry, eggs, etc., and to sell them locally.

A food survey is now in progress to determine the maximum home-growing capacity of each county. It is a survey which will show which counties are capable of feeding themselves and contributing to the food supply of other neighboring counties. It will also list the counties which are unable to raise sufficient food for home consumption.

By stimulating the home-growing, home-feeding movement, far-reaching conservation of resources will follow. One benefit should be a big saving to communities by the elimination of costs in the handling and shipping of farm produce and in incidental transportation and commissions. With the State curfew system in full swing next season distribution of all local products will be comparatively easy.

Food chairmen have been given an outline of the Committee's plan which may save millions of dollars to consumers and at the same time make the State self-supporting in many food staples. Instructions to the chairmen will be sent this afternoon.

"It is imperative that the food production of 1918 follow lines which will enable us to help solve the world's food crisis and win the war. This means a large dependence upon and use of farm and garden products."

And Then He Kissed Her.
"Daughter," said the mother, severely, "I wish to speak to you on a very serious subject."

Daughter assumed her most child-like expression and murmured: "Yes, mamma."

"I must tell you that I was passing through the hall last night and I saw that young Mr. Simpkins kiss you."

"Yes, mamma."

"Did you give him permission to kiss you?"

"No, mamma."

"Then how did he come to do it?"

"He asked me if it would offend me if he kissed me."

"Yes, yes. And what did you say?"

"I said how could I tell until I knew how it would affect me."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

For Priests' Clothing.
The reason given by Josephus for the Jewish law which prohibited the wearing of clothing of linen and wool was that such garments were worn by the priests alone.

To Win a Friend.
To be a little more patient, a little more loving, a little more gentle and generous with the sullen, wayward friend, is practically the only way to win him.

prison with a score of men and women. It is a very serious matter and it is a very serious matter.

The campaign for food production may be started well in advance of the planting season, and organizations for distributing may be prepared in advance of the pressing problems which always accompany the marketing of products.

"1918 may be the crucial year of the war. We dare not fail at this time. In years a year ago the food problems will be more a war than ever so that our work at this time must be thorough and permanent."

Not Overly Modest.
Here is an advertisement from a Berlin newspaper which does not err on the side of modesty: "A young lady of highly esteemed and noble family, as beautiful as Helen, as thrifty as Penelope, as economical as the Electress Maria of Brandenburg, as sprightly as Madame de Seneb, a singer like Mlle. Braval, a dancer like La Cerito, a pianist like Rosa Kastna, a violinist like Mialhollo, a harpist like La Bertrand, a sculptor like Princess Marie d'Orleans, as austere as Lucretia, as charitable as St. Elizabeth of Hungary, as devout as Nightingale, having at command a large fortune, lacking masculine acquaintance, seeks a husband by the newspapers' agency."

Settled Out of Court.
Muriel: "So Judge Merryman proposed to Alice last night!" Ethel: "Yes, and he made an awful break. When she asked him for time to consider his proposal, he gave her 60 days."—Judge.

Why We Say "Carat."
The weight used by goldsmiths in gauging the quality of gold apart from the alloy, i. e., carat, is derived from that of the seed of an Abyssinian carat flower, which, being exceedingly uniform in size, were employed in weighing gold and precious stones.

SCRATCHED 10 YEARS HEALED IN ONE WEEK

Finally Cured by Using One Dollar Bottle of Amolox.

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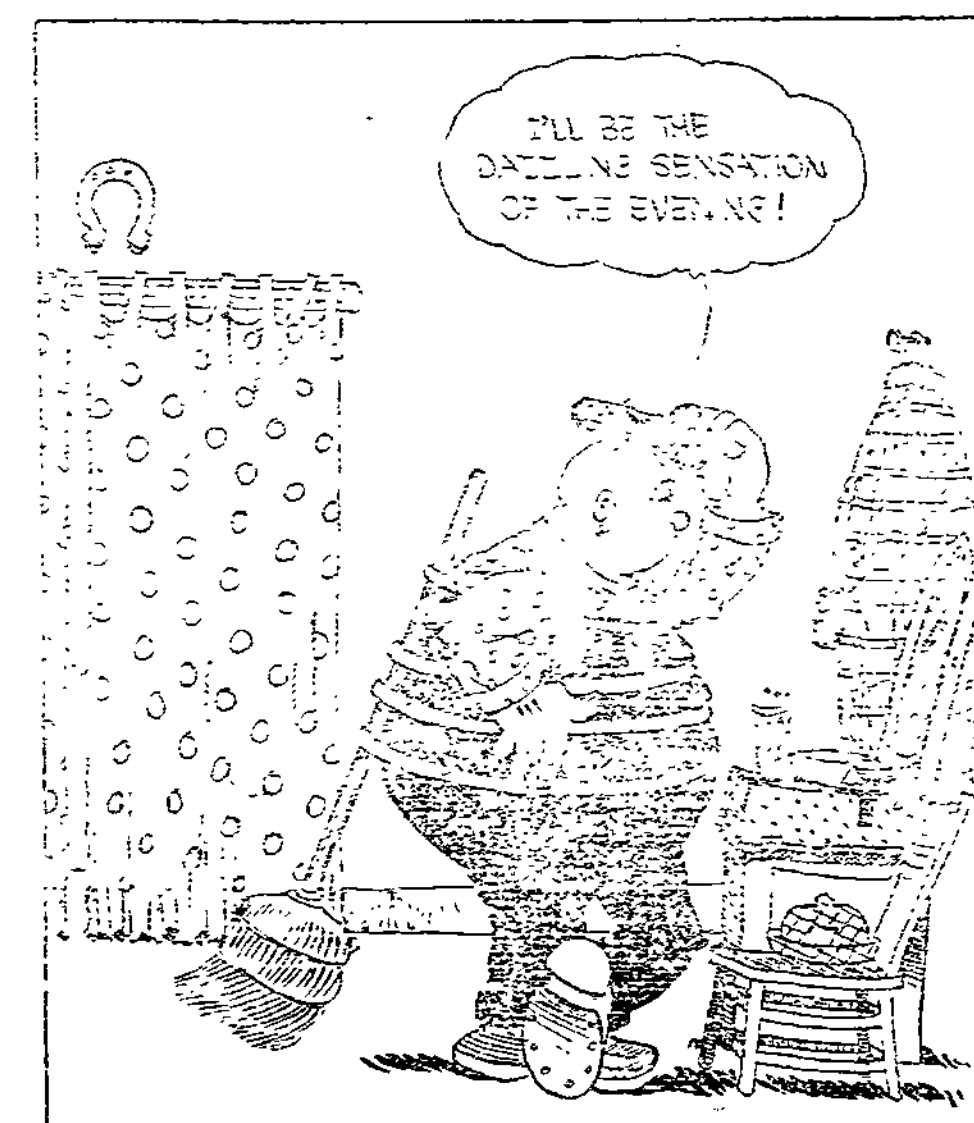
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HOBBIES



LOPEZ LOLLPOP'S MIDDLE NAME WAS "MASQUERADING" IN THIS PICTURE WE DEPICT THAT GENT "DOING UP" FOR HIS INTENTIONS ARE TO GO TO THE BALL DISGUISED AS AN ELDERLY WHISK-BROOM!

SATURDAY WE PLACE ON SALE ONE LOT OF WOMEN'S and MISSES' SUITS

Originally Priced as \$29⁷⁵
High as \$42.50 at -

The choicest garments of our stock—every wanted color and fabric—strictly new up-to-the-minute this seasons styles—thoroughly good in fit and workmanship—a wide variety and no two alike assuring an easy choice of a thoroughly good suit of unusual dependability, ready to be had in these times of rapidly advancing prices at a figure so low. Of course an early choice in a sale like this is always most satisfactory.

500 yards Unusually Good Mercerized Damask 89c

Two yards wide, 15 beautiful new patterns in floral and conventional designs, some with borders, others with barred designs, extra heavy long wearing quality — appearance equal to most any pure linen damask at three times the price.

Damask \$1 to \$3.50

Part linen or all pure linen, a large variety in very handsome designs and exceptionally good qualities.

Napkins
\$3.25 to \$8 doz.

Fine quality mercerized or all pure linen.

Mercerized Lunch Cloths \$1.69

A special lot very fine soft linen finish quality, made with scalloped edge and in several very pretty designs.

Other Lunch Cloths \$1.50 and up in Mercerized or Pure Linen

Turkish Towels 19c

Another special lot of those fine towels which sold so rapidly last week, fine, heavy qualities, full bleached and good large size, just 20 doz in this lot, no more can be had at this price when these are gone. Extra value at 19c each.

Turkish Towels with Colored Borders 25c to \$1.00

Pink, yellow, lavender, Nile, light or dark blue, red borders, plain or jacquard waves, fine, heavy, full bleached qualities and at the old low prices. Extremely popular Holiday items.

Women's Holeproof Stockings AT OLD LOW PRICES

35c and 50c pair

A limited quantity of these famous stockings in black only, to be sold while they last at the original low prices. Light, medium and heavy weights, garter or rib tops, fine lisle qualities. Usually sold in 6 pair lots only. These sold special by the single pair while they last and at 1-8 less than their real value today. Sizes 8½ to 10.

WOMEN'S and CHILDREN'S Underwear

Four big lots—Save a Third to Half on
Good Dependable Qualities

29c - 49c - 69c - 95c

Mostly samples. Vests, Pants and Union Suits, fine warm, fleece lined qualities, medium and heavy weights, regular and extra sizes, all styles, extremely big values.

W. B Corsets \$1.19 Special

All sizes 20 to 30, a few larger sizes, extra quality fine strong coutil, strongly boned, medium and low bust models, all good styles and special only while the lot lasts at \$1.19 each.

Basement- A comprehensive showing now being made in Children's Furniture. Buy early, as each item goes we cannot replace it. Protect yourself by making Holiday purchases as early as convenient.

J. W. BERRYMAN & SON

Charleroi's Busy Store

NOT LOYAL IN THEIR REMARKS

Solicitors in canvassing for the Y. M. C. A. occasionally come across some people who appear to be very outspoken against the splendid institution for which the people of the country are contributing millions of money. These people are found in every community, and when they are met with the experience is anything but pleasing to the ones who are bearing the burden and heat of the day in voluntarily assuming this work.

During the week while solicitors were working in the town of Donora they came upon two cases of this kind, both of whom were women. Two ladies one of the Donora teams reported having called upon one woman of that town for a subscription only to be met by a fusillade of abuse, the woman in question stating that "my husband was forced to buy a Liberty bond in order to hold his job in the mill, and when he brought the Liberty button home and handed it to me, I threw it on the floor and crushed it under my heel."

In another case a woman is reported to have said to the solicitor, who was a lady, that she presumed if the solicitor received fifty cents from every one in Donora she would be able to buy some new clothing and shoes for herself and family.

Both of these cases will likely be investigated by the authorities and the parties who gave utterance to these unpatriotic sentiments likely placed under surveillance.

Classified

FOR SALE—Six room house, bath, hot air furnace, Shady avenue, price \$2,675. Inquire E. J. Charles. Charleroi Savings and Trust company. 120-4

FOR SALE—Six room and bath, Lincoln avenue \$3500. Four rooms, Lincoln avenue \$1600. Three houses Oakland \$2600 for the three. Five room house Lock No. Four \$1800. One lot near new mill \$1800. Four room house, Lookout \$900. A. L. Dubinsky 413 Fallowfield avenue. 127-t6p

FOR SALE—House, 5 rooms, bath, basement, furnace. Part cash. Inquire of owner, 307 Meadow avenue. 129-t6p

FOR RENT—Storage room. See D. N. Hall, Fourth street or call either phone. 123-t11

FOR SALE—One davenport, mahogany frame, tapestry cover, one china cabinet oak round corners. Both in first class shape. Inquire 513 McKean avenue, Third floor. 131-t3p

FOR SALE—Five room house and good out kitchen, one acre ground. Good well water at Beechwood park stop on Pittsburgh car line. Inquire Mrs. Hattie Anderson on premises. 132-t1p

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Inquire 335 Fallowfield avenue. 128-tfp

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for housekeeping. 212 Washington avenue. 132-t2p

WANTED—Driver for tank wagon, must be steady worker. Gulf Refining Company, Donora, Pa. 132-t3

WANTED—We are now receiving applications for extra salesladies for the holidays. F. W. Woolworth Co., Charleroi. 128-t5

WANTED—Five men who have had experience with milk business, bread business or grocery business. Apply at Jewel Tea Co., 400 Fifth street. 129-t4

LOST—On street car from Pittsburgh due at Monessen Bridge at 3:45 Thursday afternoon, small wooden box containing 16 size solid gold watch. Finder return to Chas. Shapiro, 435 Donner avenue, Monessen, Pa., and receive liberal reward. 131-t2p

LOST—Large cameo brooch Monday. Between Fifth street and Dr. Sickman's office. Reward if returned to 50 Mail office. 131-t2p

The Pittsburgh Fish and Poultry store 616 McKean avenue. Chickens, retail 27 cents, wholesale 24 cents.

STREET WILL BE IMPROVED

Automobile drivers who have occasion to use the highway through the valley in going to and fro north and south will be pleased to learn that Donora is about to improve a portion of Meldon avenue between 12th and 14th streets in that town, which will make it safe for travelers at all times. This stretch of street has been in bad shape for years and only recently a serious automobile accident was narrowly averted there, the occupants of the car being badly shaken up, one of them rather seriously injured. The borough council or Donora has authorized that this part of the street be permanently improved, and the necessary ordinance has been adopted prior to beginning actual work of construction.

Ten Dollars Reward.

Will be given to any person or persons furnishing information to the Chief of Police of the Borough of an information against any person or persons breaking a sewer inlet in the said Borough by steam roller, truck, heavy wagon or otherwise. Any person having any information of this kind should immediately report the same to the Chief of Police.

SPLENDID PROGRAM OF LITERARY SOCIETIES

The regular fortnightly meeting of the literary societies of the Charleroi high school was held yesterday afternoon when the following excellent program was rendered by members of the Adelpian Society:

Music—"Oh, Johnny, Oh, Johnny, Oh!", High School Orchestra.

Reading—"A Big Mistake," Susie Piribek.

Piano Solo—"Flower Song," (Lange) Dorothy Whitlatch.

Two-Minute Talks—"Origin of Military Salutes," Jack Clark.

"Silent Patriotism," Mabel Rhoades.

"Camouflage," Kenneth Neilan.

Tenor Solo—"The Sunshine of Your Smile," (Ray) Wilford Gaskill.

Essay—"Prussianism," Edith Biles.

Debate—"Resolved: That military training should be a part of the high school curriculum."

Affirmative, Raymond Sphar and John Savolainen; negative, Allison Lowstuter and Duane Jones.

Piano Solo—"Scarf Dance," (Cham-inade) Audrey Michener.

Dialogue—"Before and After Talking," Elsie Smith and Albert Irose.

Cornet Solo—"The Palms," (Fau-re) Russell Stahlman.

Reading—"The King's Pardon," Felicie Bosson.

Music—"Hawaiian Butterfly" High School Orchestra.

E. Preshe and Miss Thompson and they decided in favor of the affirmative. Moss Taylor acted as critic and in her review of the work of the various participants, vouchsafed some wholesome advice. Miss Felicie Bosson gave a splendid interpretation of "The King's Pardon," fully meriting the insistent applause accorded her effort. Wilford Gaskill's initial appearance as a soloist won him the hearty applause of his listeners. In fact, the whole program was one of unusual excellence, and those who participated are deserving of much praise for their excellent work.

SCHOOL CHILDREN GIVE TO THE "Y"

Room No. 7 of the North Charleroi public schools, taught by Miss Williamson, contributed \$6.51 to the Charleroi Y. M. C. A. war fund, certainly a very generous manifestation of the interest the young folks have in the campaign now under way. It has been suggested that other schools might do the same thing and by this means raise several hundred additional dollars for the splendid work of the Y. M. C. A.

Guard Your Tongue.

"Be more you talk," said Uncle Eben. "Be a few you has to explain why you

GIVE THEIR MITE TO THE Y. M. C. A.

John D. Berryman, soliciting for the Y. M. C. A. war fund, his district being south of Second street, had an experience on his rounds on Thursday which was most pleasing to him, showing as it did that the spirit of some of the rising generation was directed in right direction. While busy canvassing his district he was approached by three small children, the oldest of whom was scarcely five years of age, each of whom gave him a penny "for the soldier boys." Mr. Berryman very graciously accepted the contribution, and gave the children the proper credit for the donation. It was small in its amount, but it was the real "widow's mite," for it was all the children had, and what other contributor can say they have given more? While Mr. Berryman found the results of his canvassing to be somewhat short of his expectation, he did find the greatest pleasure in the action of these children, who were willing to sacrifice their small store of money in order to help the boys who are now in service of their country.

Sergeant J. E. Hott, now in training at Camp Sherman, near Chillicothe, Ohio, is spending a six day

A WOMAN'S BACK

The Advice of This Charleroi Woman is of Certain Value.

Many a woman's back has many aches and pains.

Of times 'tis the kidneys' fault.

That's why Doans Kidney Pills are so effective.

Many Charleroi women know this. Read what one has to say about it:

Mrs. Fred Jackson, 207 Prospect avenue, Charleroi, says: "I was troubled by a constant backache. If I did a little extra work the pain in my back was intense. I didn't rest well at night and got up in the morning lame and stiff. If I stooped, sharp pains caught me and I could hardly straighten. I also had rheumatic pains in my back and arms and I couldn't do any sweeping. Dizzy spells and hot flashes bothered me terribly. As Doan's Kidney Pills had been used in the family, I got a box at Piper Bros. Drug Store and began taking them. One box practically cured me."

Price 60c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that cured Mrs. Jackson. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

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Not His Fault.

"If fate had been kinder to me, I would have married a \$10,000-a-year man," said Mrs. Dubwaite. "You did marry a \$10,000-a-year man," answered Mr. Dubwaite, with dignity. "The fact

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Charleroi, Pa.

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Charleroi Savings & Trust Co.
E. J. CHARLES, Manager

Lungs Are Weakened By Hard Colds

CASCARA QUININE

The old family remedy—in tablet form—safe, sure, easy to take. No counter-irritation. Cures colds in 24 hours—Grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. Get the genuine box with Red Top and Gold Bottom. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable.

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SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

The armament of Great Britain's 50-foot "chasers," "M.L.s." they are called, is interesting. Each carries, besides its deck gun, a "depth charge," six "lance bombs," and a rifle for each of its ten men.

The story of the lance bombs goes like this: A British destroyer was once placed in the embarrassing position of having a U-boat bob up right alongside. It was impossible to depress the guns sufficiently to strafe the stranger, and there was nothing else to strafe him with. What happened to the destroyer I can't say, but it must have got away to tell the story, for each boat is now provided with lance bombs for just such emergencies, says William Washburn Nutting in Collier's Weekly.

The lance bomb is a 14-pound contact bomb on the end of a six-foot handle, the idea being to use it at close range by hurling it much as an athlete throws the hammer. These are implements loaded with awful possibilities in the hands of an amateur, and the surest road to unpopularity with one's shipmates is to suggest a lance bomb rehearsal.

LADIES!

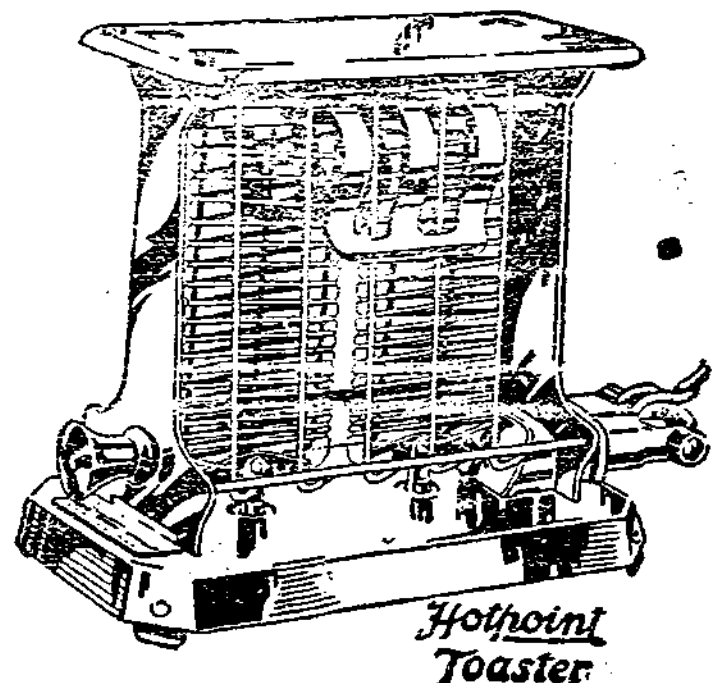
We have just received a large line of

Sample Coats

direct from New York, for our Thanksgiving trade. There is only one of each kind and they are all of the most exclusive styles.

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Don't Heat Your Oven

to make toast—
Use the convenient Hot-point Electric Toaster.

Toasts quickly, two slices at a time at less than one-tenth cent each.

Operates from any lamp socket.

Regan & Hormell, 518 McKean Ave.

Leader of Russian Revolt Was a New York Reporter



Leon Trotsky, who inspired the Maximalist revolt which overthrew Premier Kerensky, and who is now issuing reports in the name of the new Russian government, was a reporter working for \$12 a week for a Russian newspaper on the east side of New York a few months ago. He is about forty years old and has been identified with revolutionary movements for years. He came to New York after being expelled from Switzerland, France and Spain early in 1917, and lived modestly in the Bronx. He returned to Russia immediately after the abdication of the Czar and began to work on the propaganda which has since met success.

SUNDAY SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES

Methodist.
Corner Sixth and Lincoln. Sunday school 9:45. W. S. James superintendent. Preaching service 10:45. Sermon subject "Four Things Jesus Preached." Epworth League 6:30. Evening sermon 7:30. Subject, "The Will of Fire." This is a "Home-Like" church. Everybody welcome and everybody made feel at home. Good congregational singing. Special music and a warm message for each and all. Come and see. Welcome. That means you. C. A. Hartung, minister.

Washington Avenue Presbyterian.
Sabbath school at 9:45. Preaching at 11. Sermon, "Entertaining an Angel Visitor." Jr. C. E. at 2:30. Edwin McKay, leader. Sr. C. E. at 6:30. Topic "Our Denominational Foreign Mission Boards." Mrs. Clarence Allen, leader. Preaching at 7:30. Sermon, "The Value of Unrecorded Services." Strangers and those without a church home are cordially invited to worship with us. Rev. John R. Burson, pastor.

Lutheran.
Sunday school 9:45. Preaching services 11. Subject of sermon, "Degrees of Spiritual Perception." Junior League 2. Vesper service at 7:30. Subject of sermon, "The Will in the Moral and Spiritual Realm." Luther League Wednesday evening 7:30. Public cordially invited to all services. C. P. Bastian, pastor.

Baptist.
Sunday school 9:45. Preaching at 11 and 7:30 by Rev. T. D. Rees the newly elected pastor. All members are requested to be present to greet the new pastor. Everybody is welcome to our services.

First Presbyterian Church.
Sabbath school at 9:45, preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. You are cordially invited to be present at all these services.

St. Mary's Episcopal.
Sunday school 9:45; holy communion and sermon, 11:00; even song and address at 7:30. A hearty welcome to every one. Rev. A. Houbert, B. D., Lit. Dr.

COMMITTEE NAMED FOR SALE OF CHRISTMAS SEALS

A meeting of the Musical Auxiliary to the Athene Club was held Friday evening to perfect plans for the taking up of the sale of Red Cross Christmas seals. The proceeds of this sale are used to further the prevention of tuberculosis in the state. The committee named to have charge of the sale is Chairman, Miss Ethel Barth; aides, Miss Lula Buffle, Mrs. Gray Gaut, Miss Mabel Gaut, Mrs. R. C. Robertson, Miss Gwen Treasure, Mrs. A. G. Lewis and Miss Isabella Dorbritz. The next meeting of the Auxiliary will be held Nov. 26 at the home of Miss Ethel Barth.

Our Fall Christmas Lines

Watches Cut Glass Ivoryware
Diamonds Silverware Chinaware
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ARE READY FOR YOUR CHRISTMAS BUYING

Shop Early and avoid that tiredness of the last few days shopping in the rush of Christmas buying. We will be pleased to reserve any article for you for Christmas delivery. We have large assortments in every department in the very newest designs of the best workmanship.

See our window display of new diamonds at our old prices - -

H. PORTER

Jeweler & Optician

502 Fallowfield Ave., Charleroi, Pa.

The Store with the Big Street Clock

Danger of Sleeves and Ties.

Although time and again workmen have been warned regarding the danger of loose clothing when working around machinery, it appears that many of them persist in ignoring the danger. As a result 986 workmen were killed in the United States by being drawn into the wheels of machinery or thrown to death when parts of their clothing became caught in rotating members. Loose sleeves and neckties are prolific sources of danger, and should not be tolerated for a single moment by the careful worker.—Scientific American.

Use of Word Filibuster.

The word filibuster goes back to the days of William Walker's fantastic enterprise against Mexico, Costa Rica and Nicaragua—that is, to the early fifties. It was adopted into political slang at once, and got into the debates of congress on January 3, 1856, as the learned know who have studied Thornton. The Cuban revolution gave it a new and vigorous lease of life.

Patriotism Defined.

"Patriotism," said Uncle Eben, "is what makes a man glad he's livin', proud of where he's livin', an' able to explain why he's livin'."

Prosperity and Adversity.

Prosperity makes us suspicious of, while adversity makes us trust in, each other.

A Theory.

Fogg says that the reason the fashions change so frequently is that they are trying to elude some of the people who are following them.—Boston Transcript.

Electric Current Warning.

A tiny electric lamp and mounting have been designed to be attached to almost any electrical device to give warning that the current is turned on.

FAKING FILMS IN BELGIUM

Germans Take Pictures Showing Soldiers Distributing Bread Among Hungry Populace.

That seeing is not necessarily believing, where a motion picture camera is employed for purposes of influencing public opinion, is shown by an article in the Princeton Alumni, describing a visit to a Belgian village, occupied by German troops. The correspondent writes:

In the middle of the scene was a little line of ragged Belgian men, women and children. They had been gathered from the nearby streets. They seemed much frightened. Appeared a dozen underofficers and privates carrying loaves of bread. These they thrust into the hands of the people in the line, while in a corner the clicking camera recorded the touching scene, to be shown in Germany and Austria and in neutral countries throughout the world, of "Kind-Hearted Prussians Feeding the Belgian Populace."

That was what the camera showed. But what it did not show were the fields of Kansas and Manitoba, or the ships of the American commission that had brought the wheat that had been converted into the flour from which those loaves were made, or the American dollar sign indicating who had paid for the loaves, or even the Belgian agents to whom the distribution was the morning and evening work. That day these agents had been thrust aside and their bread taken from them. "On this occasion," they were told, "our soldiers will perform your task. You can leave the loaves and go home." I thought I had a story to tell. I was disappointed when my description fell rather flat. "We have heard all about it before," men informed me. "That comedy is being staged from time to time all over Belgium. We don't mind their taking pictures, but we wish they would leave our bread alone."

MUCH METAL GONE TO WASTE

One Hundred Million Pounds of Copper Used in 35,000,000 Shells Ordered by Allies in United States.

Up to date the warring allies of Europe have placed orders for 35,000,000 shells in the United States. This means a lot of valuable metal going to waste, for these orders require a total of 101,000,000 pounds of copper, 46,750,000 pounds of spelter and 173,250 pounds of lead.

A British 18-pounder, or 3.3-inch shrapnel, requires 5 pounds 9½ ounces of brass, containing 66 to 70 per cent of copper, or nearly 3½ pounds. A small copper band around the shell adds 4½ ounces, making the total copper 4.04 pounds. Spelter consumption per shell of this size is about 1.87 pounds. Lead bullets weighing 7.92 pounds constitute the metal load of the projectile.

One pound of copper is used in making 24 Lebel rifle cartridges. Every 125 of these cartridges consume a pound of spelter and a small amount of nickel. Steel consumption per shell varies more widely with the different types. A finished 3.3-inch shell contains 6 pounds 15½ ounces of steel, the steel shell weighing 6 pounds 5½ ounces and the diaphragm 9½ ounces.

Just 33 complete chemical and mechanical operations have to be gone through with great accuracy, precision and care, before white cotton, mixed with sulphuric and nitric acid, becomes smokeless powder.

Poor Chance to Retire.

About the time a man gets to the point where he can afford to retire he has to work all the time taking care of the interests he has built up so that he might retire.

Iron Ore in British Columbia.
It is estimated that there are 40,225,000,000 tons of the best iron ore in British Columbia; these resources have scarcely been touched yet.

Stop! Women and consider these facts

Every statement made in our advertisements is true. Every testimonial we publish is genuine and honest, which proves that

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